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A fine group of St. Louisans you know photographed at their amusements. See the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

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The Finest Country

Residence in Missouri will be shown in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

THE POST-DISPATCH WILL GIVE FREE ICE TO THE POOR OF ST. LOUIS

HOT WEATHER SIEGE TO LAST WEEK OUT

Thermometer on Thursday Will Not Equal Wednesday's Record—Cooler in Four Days, Says Mr. Spencer—Rain Not Near.

PROSTRATIONS, 9; DEATHS, 3

"St. Louisans may expect relief from the siege of hot weather after this week, but I do not think it will be complete," said Acting Forecaster Spencer Thursday.

"To be exact, cooler weather should visit this region in four days. Until then, St. Louis must baste and blister, although the temperature may not again go as high as it did Wednesday."

"Lower temperatures prevail throughout the western regions and they eventually will travel to St. Louis."

The weather map does not hold out any hope of rain. The only low point is visible in the lower portion of California.

"High" prevail elsewhere.

Thunderstorms, with considerable rainfall, were reported from the Upper Missouri valley and the lake region Wednesday night.

The heat throughout Wednesday night was intense and the number of persons that forsake their houses to sleep out doors was even greater than on the preceding night.

Comfort was not to be found anywhere and all were glad when day came to relieve them of their efforts to sleep.

Thursday started with a run of the thermometer, sending the mercury up to 90 degrees by 8 o'clock, but its progression later was slow and indicated that the high mark for the day would be less than it was Wednesday by several degrees.

At 12 o'clock the reading was 88, which was 10 less than the thermometer registered at the same hour Wednesday.

The list of heat prostrations, to grow notwithstanding the failure of the thermometer to reach the record mark. Nine cases were reported yesterday, while 10 deaths were reported from the City Hospital. These figures do not include among them the number of the suffering throughout the city on account of the high temperature, as comparatively few of the cases of illness caused by heat are treated at the city institutions.

HORSES STAND HEAT WELL

Big Companies Taking Every Precaution to Keep Their Animals in Working Form.

The horses of St. Louis, many of which work sixteen hours a day, are standing the heat surprisingly well. This is due in a measure to the splendid care that is being taken of them.

Out of the 1650 horses owned and driven by the leading transfer, express and brewing companies, only four have died and only two have been prostrated since last Monday.

Fifty-seven cases of heat prostration of horses have been reported to the Humane Society during that time, but of this number only three were fatal.

In other words, there have been only nine deaths in total of 1707 horses in five days.

In the meantime, more than a hundred horses have died in St. Louis from the heat.

Most of the horses owned by big concerns are usually given extra care, as is taken of them. Many of them are treated to a bath every time they are returned to the stable, some of the drivers carry sponges and water with them, and the horses on the streets. One firm feeds baking soda and salt-peter to its horses daily. Other large animals powders to keep them in condition. At least all drivers have instructions to go slow.

The Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association gives its horses a bath every day and will not allow them to be driven faster than a walk.

The following records have been gathered by the Post-Dispatch as examples of how the equine world stands the heat:

Walton Transfer Co., 70 horses; no prostrations.

Kirkmen and Coffey Co., 80 horses; no prostrations.

Walton-Knost Express Co., 80 horses; one death.

Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association, 150 horses; one prostration.

William H. Lemp Brewing Co., 125 horses; no prostrations.

American Express Co., 65 horses; no prostrations.

Adams Express Co., 75 horses; no prostrations.

Pacific Express Co., 90 horses; no prostrations.

Wells Fargo & Co., Express, 35 horses; one prostration.

Block's Express Co., 100 horses; three deaths.

Polar Wave Ice Co., 200 horses; no prostrations.

TRAIN BRING NEWS OF RAIN

Heavy Downpour Reported at St. Elmo, Ill., and Also at Louisiana, Missouri.

Passengers and train crews arriving in Union Station Wednesday night and Thursday morning from the North and East reported passing through storms of wind, rain and hail Wednesday afternoon and evening.

A tall storm, according to these reports, visited the country ten miles east of Bellville, Ill., Wednesday afternoon. Passengers on incoming trains of the Southern and Louisville & Nashville railroads reported passing through a rain and hail storm at the time of the Nokomis.

At Hillsboro, Butte, and as far east as Nokomis and Witt, Ill., along the Big Four, there were heavy showers. Passengers reported passing through a rain and hail storm at 4 o'clock in the afternoon in the time of the Nokomis.

At St. Elmo, Ill., the Vandals and for 50 miles west of there, a heavy rain and hail storm Wednesday night.

The train crew of the midnight special from the Chicago & Alton, which arrived in St. Louis at 7:30 Thursday morning, re-

ported that a heavy wind and electrical storm was raging in Chicago when they left at 12:30. They were delayed until they reached Dwight, Ill.

Frank, from St. Louis Thursday morning, stated that a heavy storm of rain, wind and hail visited the vicinity of Louisiana Wednesday afternoon.

EADS BRIDGE FREE TO ALL

Beginning Thursday Night It Will Be Open During Evenings Without Charge.

W. S. McChesney, vice-president and general manager of the Terminal Railroad Association, announced Thursday that the Eads bridge would be free for the use of the public from 6 to 10 o'clock each evening, beginning Thursday night and continuing until September 1.

The privilege is extended to everybody, young and old, rich and poor. It includes permission to promenade on the bridge, which was a free walk.

General Manager McChesney says that the desire of the company is to make the nights as comfortable for the suffering citizens as possible.

MUST SEND TO CITY FOR FOOD.

Drought Regions Wants Causes Rush at Cupples Block.

Tenants of the Cupples block and the adjacent wholesale district suffer as much from the heat as other St. Louisans and are incidentally affected by the drought throughout the West and Southwest.

The effect of the drought upon these firms is pleasant enough financially, but on the members of the firms and their employees it is rather disagreeable personally.

The weather is getting still drier for the drought-stricken section. The failure of the crops has caused unprecedented demand for canned goods.

Most of the houses are working every night to fill these orders. Several of them were forced to work their men last Sunday.

DEATHS REPORTED THURSDAY.

Mrs. Margaret Murnaghan, aged 70, of 246 Lafayette avenue, found dead in her bed Thursday morning.

Charles Schaefer, aged 51, cigar maker, of 142 South Second street, died suddenly.

John A. Faust, vice-president of the R. E. McMillan Surveying Co., died Wednesday night at his home, 2912 Ellendale avenue, between 14th and 15th streets.

John D. Walker, 10, died at his home for many years.

Louis Spratt, married, a baker, living at 2728 South Jefferson avenue, died at his home Wednesday night from the effects of the heat.

SAY THAT PARK SITE IS ILLEGAL

Injunction Suit Filed Against Fair Company.

BROUGHT BY CHESTER H. KRUM

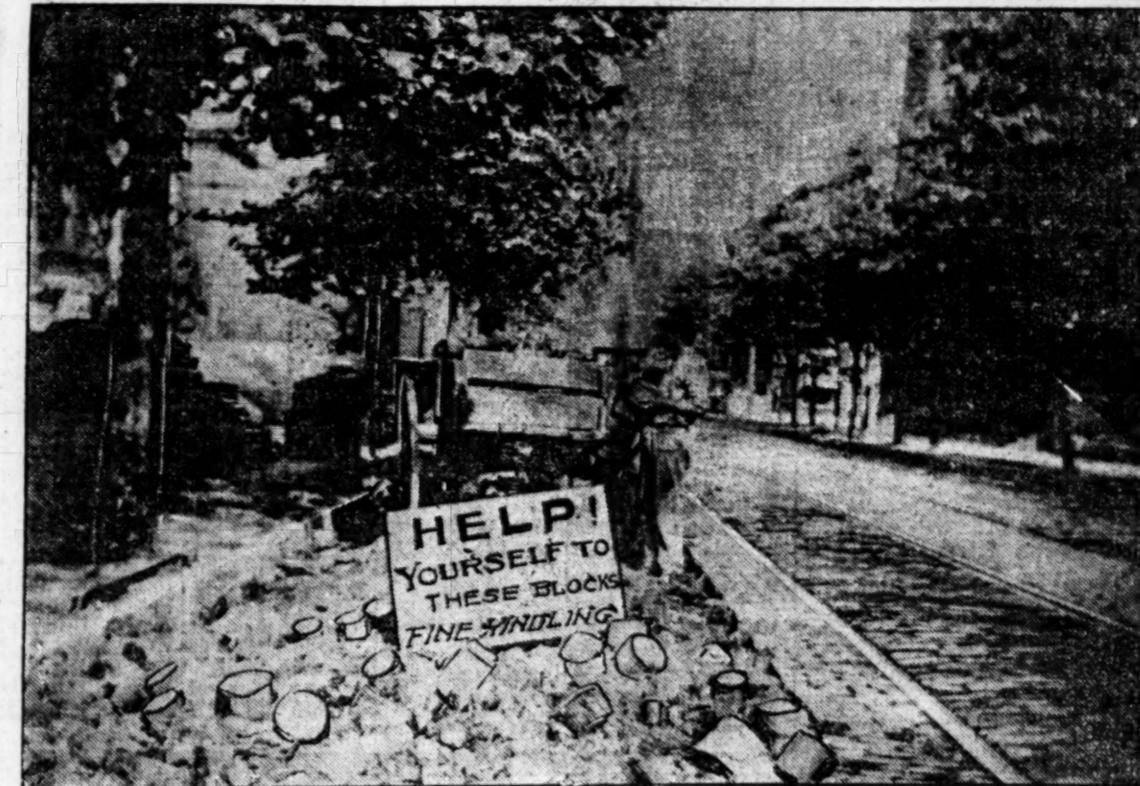
HE ACTS FOR H. H. WERDES AND JOHN F. BERGERH.

Contention Made That People Have Charter Right to Park and Must Vote the Privilege to the Exposition Company.

STATEMENT BY G. B. ELLIS,

POST-DISPATCH CAMERA STORIES OF ST. LOUIS

FIREWOOD IS FREE THESE WARM DAYS.



New St. Louis will kindle its winter fires with the wooden paving blocks of Old St. Louis. The wooden blocks that are being removed from Washington avenue, between Theresa and Grand avenues, are given to whoever will cart them away, and several teamsters are making a living by selling the blocks for kindling wood. They also make good fire wood.

—Photographed by the Post-Dispatch.

FARMERS SUFFER \$100,000,000 LOSS IN MISSOURI BY THE DROUGHT

But This Startling Statement, Says the Board of Agriculture's Secretary to the Post-Dispatch, Does Not Mean That the Missouri Farmer Is Impoverished.

HOPE LIES IN STORM FROM WEST INDIES.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—There are indications, Weather Bureau officials think, that the end of the torrid season is approaching.

Rains have fallen in spots over a wider area within the past forty-eight hours than at any time since the heat wave began.

On one point students of meteorology are agreed—that the hot weather is not likely to be broken by tornados.

Present conditions are not of the kind that produce these violent storms.

It is more likely that the end will come gradually, or be broken by general rain storms with high winds, not tornadic, coming from the West Indies.

There has been no material change in the weather conditions during the past twenty-four hours. The temperatures were not unseasonable over the East and South and Lake Region, but in the central valleys and West they continue abnormally high.

It is cooler in Missouri and Kansas today. Light rain is reported to have fallen last night in parts of Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, Illinois and Iowa.

A normal wheat crop has been harvested, and the short hay and oats crop saved in excellent condition. Some corn will yet be produced and by carefully saving all the fodder and sowing wheat or rye for fall pasture and drawing upon the snug bank account that many of our farmers have, we should be able to get through the winter fairly well. The farmers generally take a philosophical view of the situation and when the rains do come will be ready and able to soon retrieve the loss.

That the Missouri farmer can live without suffering for food and clothing after sustaining the unprecedented loss occasioned by the drought, only shows the wonderful resources of this great state. No patriotic Missourian would want to magnify the disastrous effects of the present drought, and on the other hand it is not to the advantage of the farmer or best interests of the other industries of the state to hold the facts. To a degree the success of nearly every industry in Missouri depends upon the prosperity of the farmer and I take it the business men of the country want to know the exact condition, if possible, for the benefit of future calculations.

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The loss may be divided as follows:

Money Loss.

Hay (two-thirds loss).....\$14,000,000

Oats (two-thirds loss).....4,000,000

Corn (four-fifths loss).....50,000,000

Fruits and vegetables.....15,000,000

Live stock2,000,000

Minor crops (flax, forage, tobacco, etc.).....

Total\$100,000,000

However starting these estimates may be, no one need be alarmed about Missouri being able to take care of every one of her people.

Injunction proceedings were instituted Thursday afternoon in the St. Louis Circuit Court to prevent the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Co. from using Forest Park as a site for the World's Fair in 1903.

Suit was filed by Attorney Chester H. Krum and John F. Bergerh, who allege that they and other taxpayers and exponents are bringing the injunction proceedings on behalf of all the tax-payers of St. Louis.

The suit asks that the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Co. be prohibited from accepting the provisions of the ordinance of May 19, 1901, providing for the use of Forest Park as a site for the Fair, if the Fair directors desire so to use it.

If the company has already accepted the provisions of the ordinance prior to the filing of the injunction suit, the court will then rule on the merits of the case.

The fire company was almost immediately called to the scene.

The fire was started in the southeast corner of the building.

There was a delay of a few minutes in getting water turned on the fire, but at 2:45 p.m. it did not look as though the place would be destroyed.

N. O. NELSON'S PLANT ON FIRE

Second Alarm Turned in Thursday Afternoon Because of Flames in a Big Plant.

JOPLIN, Mo., July 25.—A shipment of 210 tons of high grade zinc ore was shipped to Antwerp, Belgium, yesterday, via New Orleans.

This is the second shipment sent, one cargo of ore having gone in April. Others will follow monthly until the contract is completed for 2500 tons. The ore is sold to Antwerp.

A small amount of the ore is sold to miners as much as about four dollars per ton as that sold to home smelters, but the zinc miners' association, by exporting large quantities of ore, prevents the accumulation of a surplus and is thereby enabled to maintain good prices for ore.

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TYSON HEIRS WILL MEET.

They Will Arrange to Divide the \$52,000,000 Australian Estate.

FORT WORTH, Tex., July 25.—The Tyson heirs will meet here on Aug. 1 to range for the distribution of the vast fortune left by John Tyson, who died in Melbourne, Australia, two years ago, leaving an estate valued at \$52,000,000, about one-half of which is cash in the Bank of England, the balance being railroad and mining stocks and real estate in Melbourne. The call for the meeting was issued by Thomas

Scrugg, Vandervort & Barney

This store closes at 6 P. M. every week day during July and August, except Saturdays, when it closes at 1 P. M.

Midsummer Clearance Sale of Cotton Dress Fabrics

At 50% Below Regular Prices.

Wash Goods.

5c, 7½c and 12½c per yard.

Dimity Cords	White figures and stripes on assorted navy blue grounds—regularly worth 13½c...
40-inch Lawn	In assorted solid colors, desirable for lining organdy, worth 20c...
28-inch Dimity	Novelty Printings on assorted color grounds, regular price 12½c...
36-inch Batiste	In assorted stripes and figures, 6 colorings to each design, worth 15c...
Irish Dimity	150 pieces of best quality Irish Dimity, in extensive variety of choice printings on light, medium and dark grounds—regularly worth 25c per yard....

Wash Goods Remnants.

All the accumulated ends of our regular stock in lengths for shirtwaists, wrappers, skirts, house gowns and children's dresses—comprising this season's best styles of batiste, foulardette, fancy dimity, Scotch madras, zephyr and other cotton dress fabrics—

At just $\frac{1}{2}$ the regular piece prices.

OLIVE STREET, BROADWAY AND LOCUST STREET.

RICHARD CARROLL, AGED NINE, RISKED HIS LIFE TO GET A KITE

Tried to Take It Off of a Live Wire
When the Shock Threw Him to
the Ground.

Richard Carroll, 9-year-old son of Peter Carroll, 2300 Wash street, risked his life to get possession of a stray kite Monday afternoon.

Richard is quite an expert kite-maker himself, but the kite that took his fancy was a little, bright red one that had caught in some telegraph wires near 2338 Wash street.

A tall tree stands near that particular spot and its branches reach out over the wires.

Trees have not figured much in Little Richard's life. He is a real city child and has more of pavements than he does of nature.

The tree was the only way to the kite, however, Richard explained.

On its branches he went until he was within reach of the kite. He began to disentangle the string when his hand caught and held the current in the wire. He tried to loosen the wire's hold with his left hand, lost his hold on the tree and fell.

His hand is cut and bruised, his left knee is hurt, his left hand is badly burned from contact with the live wire and his right hand is slightly burned.

He has scarcely slept since the accident occurred and he suffers constantly from a pain in his head, caused by the shock given him nerves.

He is such a little fellow, although he has 9 years old, always adding in a new sort of way that he will be 10 in October.

The Carroll children are nine of them—all active boys. Carroll says Richard is one of the quietest.

With the fear of death before him—the little fellow, doubtless, whether he will live or die, he went up to the kite in an impulsive and unprejudiced spirit.

With pencils stuck out of the pocket, Richard's parents, who were then with all his knowledge of things that he did not know the danger of touching wires, didn't know it was live, he had only explanation.



RICHARD CARROLL.
Nine-year-old boy nearly lost his life while trying to take a kite off of a live wire.

DEWEY WILL HEAD THE BOARD

Schley-Sampson Inquiry Will
Be Open.

PAPERS BEING PREPARED

OTHER MEMBERS ARE REAR ADMIRALS KIMBERLY AND BENHAM.

Secretary Long Announces That Admiral Schley Will Be Allowed Counsel and All Latitude in the Inquiry.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—The board of inquiry, which is to investigate the controversial points in connection with Admiral Schley's conduct during the Spanish war, will be composed of Admiral Dewey, president of the court, and Rear Admirals Lewis A. Kimberly and Andrew E. Benham. The court will meet at the navy department in Washington, Sept. 12. Secretary Long.

The judge advocate general of the court has not yet been selected and the precept will be filled, which is being prepared by Capt. Lemlye. The inquiry will be held under the direction of the secretary and nothing is yet known until the precept is appointed and given for the members of the court are issued. It is expected that they will be promulgated by the department tomorrow.

With the formal order has not yet been issued, it is understood that Secretary Long has selected Commander John E. Winslow, equipment officer of the Boston navy yard, as judge advocate of the inquiry court of inquiry. Commander Pillsbury will be in command of the dynamite cruiser "Missouri," which is to be used in the investigation of the Spanish-American war, attached to Sampson's fleet.

Secretary Long says, however, that the proceedings of the court will be open and that the public will be allowed to attend in the matter of witnesses and that Rear Admiral Schley will be allowed to be represented by counsel. The secretary had nothing to say about the composition of the court except that he thought it spoke for itself and to express the hope that the members chosen would be satisfactory to all concerned.

He pointed out that none of the officers chosen to sit on the court had ever expressed an opinion concerning what is known as the Sampson-Schley controversy, and it was therefore, he presumed, that they had not yet been appointed in an impartial and unprejudiced spirit.

The members of the court are distinctly divided men, and the inquiry will be a celebrated event in naval annals.

Admiral Dewey, the hero of the battle of Manila bay, it is unnecessary to say, is the most popular man in the service. Both had records during the conflict on "Fam Sunday," on which date the two admirals were born. Dewey is associated in the destruction of the American fleet in the harbor of Apia, Samoa, formerly maintained by the provision of a plow boy, but now kept at the expense of a plow boy.

Admiral Kimberly, both retired officers of the navy, are well known throughout the country.

"Missourians are attending the Pan-American in large numbers," he said.

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Silk Remnants.	
Remnants Plain and Fancy Silks, worth from 39¢ to 59¢, for.....	10c
Remnants Figured Taffetas Wash Silk, Gros de L'ondres, etc.; worth from 75¢ to \$1.00, for.....	15c
Remnants and dress lengths of all our Silk and Satin Foulard, also 44-inch Black Grenadines; worth from 89¢ to \$1.25, for.....	25c



Incomparable Friday Bargains

Astonishing Low Prices on Wash Goods.

Lot 1—1000 yards fine Dimities, Organdies, Satin Striped Batistes and Lawns, worth up to 15¢; Friday.....	5c
Lot 2—300 yards English Covert Cloth, gray, tan and mixtures, worth up to 12½¢; Friday.....	5c
Lot 3—All remnants of Lawns, Dimities and Batistes, former prices up to 25¢; Friday, your choice.....	5c

White Goods.

100 pieces India Linon, 6¢ quality, Friday.....	2c
100 pieces India Linon, the 8¢ and 10¢ quality, Friday.....	4c
All remnants of fine White Goods 2 to 15 yards—at exactly one-half price.	

Linings.

All remnants of Linings, colors and black, worth up to 15¢ yd., Friday at, yd.....	3c
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Corsets.

1 case of Ladies' Corsets, in pink, blue, white and drab; always sold at 65¢; Friday at.....	38c
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Muslin Underwear.

Ladies' Drawers, of good muslin; have deep hem-stitched hem, worth 25¢; Friday.....	12c
Ladies' Umbrella Skirt, full width, deep knee flounce; finished with tucks and lace extra, dust ruffle, worth 50¢; Friday.....	50c
Children's Petticoats, good quality muslin, with cambric ruffle, worth 20¢; Friday.....	9c
Ladies' Gowns, in bishop and empire style, of cambric or muslin; worth up to \$1.00; Friday at.....	59c

Notions.

100 Yards Velveteen Skirt Binding, 3c
50 Yards Basting Thread, 1c
100 Cabinet Hair Pins, per box, 1c
25 Fine Hair Brushes, 5c
Ladies' 25c Fine Shears at Boston, 7c

SHAM BATTLE THURSDAY IN WHICH MISSOURI TROOPS ENGAGE ENLIVENS CAMP DOCKERY

Gov. Dockery Will Be the Central Figure in Friday's Program—Fighting Fire.

From a Post-Dispatch Staff Correspondent.

NEVADA, Mo., July 25.—Camp Dockery was enlivened by the arrival of 2000 visiting Missourians, eager to witness the sham battle which will be held at the Fair Grounds at 4 o'clock, this afternoon.

The troops will be formed in three detachments. The first will be under command of Col. Sinclair of the First Regiment and will comprise Batteries A and the Fourth Regiment, the Missourians, constituting the other two detachments, will form the attacking force.

Operations will be directed by Brigadier General Clark and staff.

The extreme heat may cause a portion of the program to be delayed or postponed on a cold day is considered a pretty warm affair, and with the mercury at fever heat, is nothing short of a hairy affair. The Missourians have been advised to the hospital corps to be well prepared for emergency heat cases.

Dockery, with honor the camp was named, with the members of his staff will reach here to-morrow, when there will be a parade of all the troops through the principal streets of Nevada.

The provost guard, under command of Lieutenant-Colonel Holtcamp of the First, is in command of the guard of honor.

Guards are stationed at every corner here, and the first evidence of unruliness on the part of any militiamen invites swift punishment.

The dress parade last night was witnessed by a large crowd, and enjoyed by all women. The soldiers have won a lasting place in the hearts of Nevada's military sponsors, and a grand military ball will be given to the Missourians, the same being considered. Several vehicles have been pressed into service between here and Nevada, and most of the lemonade stands are enjoying a most lucrative part.

CAMP DOCKERY, via Nevada, Mo., July 25.—Camp Dockery has been visited by fire a half dozen times during the past few days. The list was increased yesterday afternoon by one near the headquarters of the Fourth Regiment and another close to the tent of the Third Regiment officers.

The soldiers have put out the fires with blankets, as there is no available water supply.

Private Michael Stevens of Company E, Second Regiment, is the second Missouri soldier to be expelled from Camp Dockery.

Rousing Basement Bargains

5¢ CALICOES in Indigo Blue and Turkey Red	15¢ SATEENS, colored French effects,	17½¢ SEER-SUCKERS, Japanese crinkles,	20¢ TABLE OIL CLOTH, best quality,	6 MUSLIN, unbleached, yard wide,
3c	5c	5c	14c	3½c
10¢ LAWNS and DIMITIES, printed fast colors,	12½¢ PERCALES—fine quality for shirts and shirt waists,	10¢ CAMBRIC MUSLIN, yard wide,	\$1.25 LONG CLOTH, English—12 yard bolts,	25¢ CHAMBRAYS, embroidered spots,

2000 Sailor Collar Shirt Waists

49c	69c	89c	\$1.49	Ladies' Sailor Collar Waists, in finest quality lawn, plain white, pink and blue, also fine colorings in figured lawns. Waists in this lot worth up to \$2.00.
Misses' Sailor Collar Waists, reverie effects, in imported chambrays and French P. K., worth \$1.50 and \$1.75.	Ladies' Sailor Collar Waists, in beautiful combination effects, dip front, Bishop sleeves and lawn ties, worth \$1.25 to \$1.50.	Ladies' Sailor Collar Waists, in finest quality lawn, plain white, pink and blue, also fine colorings in figured lawns. Waists in this lot worth up to \$2.00.	Ladies' White Lawn Sailor Collar Waists, in the most magnificent styles. Collars and waists trimmed with finest embroideries, others with collars closely tucked. Waists in this lot worth up to \$1.00.	
100 Children's Fancy Parasols, with lace covers, worth 75¢; Sale Price.....	100 Children's Fancy Parasols, with lace covers, worth 75¢; Sale Price.....	100 Children's Fancy Parasols, with lace covers, worth 75¢; Sale Price.....	100 Children's Fancy Parasols, with lace covers, worth 75¢; Sale Price.....	

.... Millinery....

You have still two months to wear a summer hat, but you need not look two months to find such values as these:	
Trimmed Hats.	Choice of any Trimmed Hat in the house, including many high-priced patterns and trimmed hats that sold up to \$20—Friday, your choice at the Boston.....
Children's Trimmed Hats.	Just 5¢ more left of our entire stock of Children's Trimmed Hats that sell up to \$20—Friday, your choice of any in the house.
Walking Hats.	Choice of any Walking Hat in the house, sold at high prices.....
	Walking Hats. Plume that readily sold for \$2.50—Friday, choice.....

Ribbons.

Tremendous big purchase of 500 pieces of Black Gauze Ribbon, with satin edges, from 2½ to 5 inches wide, bought at 15¢ to 20¢ on the dollar, worth up to 25¢; Friday, your choice of any, year.....	5c
14½¢ Black Satin Back Velvet Ribbon, good grade; worth 12c; Friday, at Boston.....	5c
10c White Stone China Coffe Cups and Saucers, pair.....	3c
10c White Stone China Dinner Plates.....	3c
10c Japaned Cuspidors, large size.....	5c
10c Granite Preserving Kettles, 4-quart size.....	10c
8c Table Knives, good steel, no bone.....	2c
2c Asbestos Stone Mats, large size.....	1c
2c Handle Ironing Wax.....	1c
10c and 15c Glass Fruit Dishes, large size.....	5c
Jelly Turners, with the covers, ½ and 1-pint, each.....	19c
25¢ Japanned and silvered several colors.....	17c
9c Stone China Slop Jars, with ball and cover.....	75c
75¢ Decorated Dinner Sets, \$1.98	
25¢ Lightning Ice Cream Freezers, 6-quart size.....	2.49
35¢ Arctic Ice Cream Freezers, 8-quart size.....	2.69
27.50 Vapor Gasoline Range, three-burner, with oven.....	\$19.00

Fridays Bargains in Men's Furnishings, Hosiery and Kit Underwear.

Men's 10¢ Seamless Black Stock, pair.....	2½c
Misses' Boys' and Children's Fast Black Ribbed Hose, pair.....	5c
Men's 10¢ City Hose Comb, Undershirts and Drawers.....	18c
Boys' 50¢ quality celebrated K. & E. Shirt Waists, without cuff.....	29c
Large Loosy-Bottom Jersey Ribbed Knitted Pants, worth 25¢	19c
Ladies' 25¢ quality Silk Mercerized Vests, white and colors.....	15c
Men's \$1.00 quality Fine Woven Madras Shirts, with detached cuffs, newest patterns.	58c

Linens.

58-inch Turkey Red Damask, regular price 15c—	8½c
Friday, yard.....	5c

16x32 Huck Towels, regular price 12½c—	5c
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Wool Dress Goods

Almost Given Away.	25c
Dress Goods, worth up to \$1.00 yards.....	25c

Remnants Satin Stuffed Chiffon, the 39¢ quality—Friday, to close, yard.....	5c
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Parasols.

100 Children's Fancy Parasols, with lace covers, worth 75¢; Sale Price.....	39c
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FORCING OUT ALL SUMMER GOODS!

At Prices Almost Incredibly Low for Cool-of-the-Morning Shoppers!

Remnants and Odd Lots all at Half-Price Friday

Basement, 8 Till 10 A.M.

Remnants—Madras Cloth, Zephyr Ginghams, Galatea Cloth, Skirting Crash, Cotton Covers, Printed Pictures, Poulards, Lawns, Dimples, worth up to 15¢—choice, in Basement.....

5c



Cheese-Cloth, navy blue, worth 8 to 10 a.m. 14c
Merrimack Shirting Prints, worth 15c..... 3c
Madras Shirting, 30 inches wide, worth 15c..... 6c
Coated Dress Linens, worth 10c..... 10c
Oxford Madras, best quality, worth 10c..... 10c
House Cloth Towels, worth 10c..... 4c
Wash Rags, bleached..... 14c
Solid Color Lawns and Dimples, worth 10c..... 5c
Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests, Children's 10c..... 2c
Hats for Men's The Percal Shirts, for..... 25c
for..... 99c

Men's Underwear.

Half Price.

Men's fine Jersey Rib Shirts or Drawers, in ecru, brown or blue, worth 50c—
Sale Price..... 19c
Men's Fine French Baldriggan Shirts or Drawers, in all colors, all silk finished, worth 50c—
Sale Price..... 25c
Men's genuine Baldriggan Shirts or Drawers, drawers with double seats, sizes 34 to 46, worth 50c—Sale Price..... 35c

Summer White Goods.

A mighty clearing-up, which must effect a speedy clearance of all White Goods.
Dimity—Fancy Stripe Dimity, in good lengths, 7 1/2c
India Linen—Fine quality—Clearing Sale..... 10c
French Lawn—47 in. French lawn, very fine and also regular, 50c—
Clearing Sale..... 25c
Persian Lawn—Fine Persian lawn, 32 inches wide, very sheer and launders perfectly, worth 50c—
Sale Price..... 35c

MIDWEEK SOCIETY

The performance of "The Little Tycoon" at Delmar Garden next week will be given for the benefit of the United Daughters of the Confederacy and all of the summer stay-at-home folk in aid of their efforts to put out on mase to do honor to the occasion.

The benefit is to extend throughout the month of July 25 and ending Aug. 2. Each night will be graced by the presence of at least one of the many Southern beauties in Louis and Clark. Dancers, members will try to attend every evening.

The Tennessee Society, the Virginia Society and the Sons of Confederate Veterans will occur for special performances the last named organization having chosen Friday night to appear in the garden.

The proceeds, which are to go directly to the U. D. C. treasury, will accrue from the sale of Miss Jessie Walker's tickets on Main and Oliver streets, and from Delmar's drug store, on the corner of Leonard and Washington avenues. Friends of the cause who have not purchased their tickets at either of these places,

Cards have been sent out to announce the marriage of Miss Jessie Walker, daughter



An Excellent Combination.

The pleasant method and beneficial effects of the well known remedy, SYRUP OF FIGS, manufactured by the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO., illustrate the true value of the medicinal properties of plants known to be medicinal!— laxative and presenting them in the form most refreshing to the taste and acceptable to the system. It is the one perfect strengthening laxative, cleansing the system effectually, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers quickly yet promptly and enabling one to live a full and active life permanently. Its perfect freedom from every objectionable quality and substance, and its acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels, without weakening or irritating them, make it the ideal laxative.

In the process of manufacturing figs are used, as they are pleasant to the taste and have medicinal qualities. These remedies are obtained from seeds and other aromatic plants, by a method known to the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. only. In order to get its beneficial effects and to avoid imitations, please remember the full name of the Company printed on the front of every package.

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LOUISVILLE, KY.
NEW YORK, N. Y.
BOSTON, MASS.—Price 50c bottle.

One Fare Plus \$2.00
For the round trip from St. Louis to Northern Michigan Summer Resorts via Illinois Central.

NEW RECRUITING OFFICE.
Capt. Ralph Harrison is looking for Artillerymen.

Capt. Ralph Harrison of the Second Cavalry opened a recruiting office Thursday morning in rooms 201 and 202 Arcade Building, East St. Louis. He is desirous of enlisting men for the field and coast artillery and for the engineers' corps.

Capt. Harrison has just closed an office at Alton, Ill., and has secured one for the different branches. He has been in this portion of the country searching for recruits for the army, having toured Missouri before crossing the river.

R. N. Woods, proprietor Kinloch Express Co., successor to Little & Woods, will resume business at the old stand, 305 Olive.

Shirt Waists and Skirts.

Clearing Them Out Friday.
10 dozen White Shirt Waists, handsomely trimmed in lace and embroidery—latest style—\$1.25—Friday, out they go, All fine White Waists—\$1.95—\$2.00 Waists—\$1.25

50c

20 dozen Percale Waists, all sorts, colored and blacks—have sold up to \$1.35—Friday, they go at.....

25c

20 dozen Wash Dress Skirts, linen, crash, duck and pique—have sold up to \$2.00, for.....

50c

10 dozen Polka Dot Pique Dress Skirts in flounce and folds—latest styles—prices \$1.95, \$1.50 and \$1.25

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All our Fine Silk Skirts cut down to close them out.

50 Ladies' Lawn and Percale Suit in Shirt Waists and Sailor styles, have sold at \$4.50 and \$5.00.....

\$2.95

10 dozen Children's Gingham and Percale Dresses, ages up to 10—go at.....

75c

100 Ladies' Lawn and Percale Suits in Shirt Waists and Sailor Collars, the 30s kind.....

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State of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss:

Personally appeared before me a Notary Public, in the City of St. Louis, Mo., W. C. Steckers, Business Manager of the St. Louis POST-DISPATCH, who deposes and says that the regular edition of the newspaper for the last four months (January, February, March, April) 1901, after deducting all copies returned by newsboys and copies left over, spoiled in printing and unsold, for averages, was 163,248 copies daily, and for the entire year 1901 averaged Sunday, 150,154; and for the entire year 1901 averaged Sunday, 90,710.

W. C. STECKERS,
Business Manager.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15th day of May, 1901. My term expires Jan. 25, 1902.

GEO. W. LUBKE, JR.,
Notary Public City of St. Louis, Mo.

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Biggest West of the Mississippi.

When You Leave the City

For the summer, order the POST-DISPATCH to your summer address. To change address as often as desired, write or telegraph to Circulation Department, POST-DISPATCH.

PASS THE CHARTER AMENDMENTS BILL

There should be no delay by the Council in passing the Charter Amendments bill.

All public work waits upon the Charter Amendments. Improvement and construction are practically at a standstill and cannot be systematically resumed until the amendments are passed.

The changes made by the House of Delegates are minor and unessential. They do not affect the design of the measures. They are mere alterations of details which can be accepted without detriment to the general scheme.

The Council should pass the bill at once, so that reference to the voters at the polls may be insured at the earliest date possible in orderly legal procedure—Oct. 22. To delay it beyond that date will produce confusion and add to the difficulties of an already difficult situation. If we are to make the city presentable for World's Fair visitors we must go to work immediately.

The hot wave would be more tolerable without the smoke. We can get rid of the latter. Away with the smoke.

FOR THE SUSPENDER MAN.

The coatless man who feels compelled to wear suspenders is in a quandary. While coatlessness and comfort have won their way in the case of the man with a decided waist, the man to whom the belt would be a horror is still required to serve at some restaurants and admission to some circles on account of those awful suspenders.

A Post-Dispatch reader who is a sufferer from this state of things asks, "Are suspenders indecent?" Not necessarily. But fashion or prejudices can make them so. And as these are all-powerful something must be done for the poor suspender man.

Perhaps the next evolution in the coatless stage might be the creation by the shirtmakers of light and well-made boleros for men. The bolero has no sleeves or neck, so that it would not be a burden to the flesh. It would conceal the dreadful suspenders and mitigate the terrible waistline.

It is a Spanish garment, but the women of America are wearing it. A man with a handsome bolero would be about as cool as a "regular" shirtwaist man, and quite as presentable.

Gold continues to arrive from the Klondike, though what we are really needing from there is a steady supply of cold air.

FENDER LEGISLATION.

Citizens who know of the terrible record of deaths and maimings due to the defective fenders on St. Louis street cars are anxiously waiting to see what the Municipal Assembly will do in the matter of passing a fender ordinance that will enable the Board of Public Improvements to compel the substitution of life-saving devices for such fenders as have proven worthless.

Every day that goes by without attention being given to this matter means another day of unnecessary peril to pedestrians, particularly women and children, who are obliged to cross the streets where cars are running.

After the ordinance has been passed, it will take some time to put it into effect. This is not a reason for delay, but for such haste as is compatible with proper regard for effective legislation.

The Railroad Committee of the City Council should give the matter immediate attention. Delay may mean loss of life. Prompt action is demanded in the name of humanity.

A new party, having in view the ultimate independence of the Philippines, is said to be organizing in the islands. It will have ballots instead of boles, but as Philippine independence must come through the United States, the Philippine vote can hardly be considered. Possibly American oilholders will look upon the new party as treasonable.

UNDER THE STARS AT OKLAHOMA CITY.

The homeseekers on the border of the promised land about to be thrown open to settlers present a mournful spectacle as reflected by the Post-Dispatch correspondent at Oklahoma City.

At that place more than 1000 men, women and children are sleeping out of doors under the stars. Some have coats, but more seek the lumber piles and the railway platforms, while others, not so alert perhaps, find rest on the ground. It is a pathetic scene.

The thousands who throng Oklahoma City, El Reno and the other centers of land distribution are intent upon that object dearest to every man's heart—home, where he can house and provide for his wife and children.

To obtain it, or rather, in this instance, to obtain a chance to get it, he travels perhaps a thousand miles, with wife and babies, through sweltering heat, ill fed, ill clad, with none of the conveniences and comforts considered indispensable to decent living by most of us. There is no hardship of summer or winter which man will not cheerfully undergo for a foothold on the earth, a stake in the land, a home which he can for all time call his own.

The breed of strong men and patient women is not exhausted. A generation ago heroism was found under the white top of an emigrant's wagon making its way across the plains, always threatened by wild beasts and wilder men.

Now it travels in emigrant cars or goes on foot with fewer dangers to stimulate and less hope to cheer. It is heroism in either case.

Pathetic, and as it is, the scene at Oklahoma City is evidence that the old spirit yet lives, the assurance that the men who reduce nature to submission are still with us in force.

The reduction in the cost of lighting the city buildings from 12 and 13 cents to 6 and 8 cents is a pleasing change, whether it may be attributed to the municipal ownership sentiment or not. Every step toward wise economy in our city government helps us to reach World's Fair conditions and the New St. Louis.

POST-DISPATCH ICE FUND.

In connection with other work to alleviate the suffering in hot weather the Post-Dispatch today starts a fund to provide ice for the needy with a subscription of \$100 as its own contribution.

The first contributor is the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Co., which generously offers one ton of ice every day during the hot season.

Here is an opportunity to exercise practical benevolence. In many districts of the city the people not only have no ice but hydrant water is not immediately accessible for drinking and sprinkling. All are suffering, especially the sick and little children—babies who can make known their grief only by a cry.

A ton of ice will supply 80 families with ice sufficient for 24 hours, allowing 25 pounds to each family. The extent of the charity may be seen in the light of this simple calculation.

The Post-Dispatch will receive and apply contributions of cash. Those who wish to donate ice may call up this office and receive directions concerning place of delivery, etc.

In the first six months of 1901 the St. Louis millers have shipped to England 129,829 barrels of flour and to Cuba 104,510. These are the largest of all their foreign shipments. Free trade with Cuba would greatly benefit St. Louis millers.

HELP FOR THE HOUSEGIRL.

Among the hosts made miserable by the intense heat the domestic servant, cook or housemaid, is not the least worthy of consideration.

Their duties stretch from early morning until late in the night and their sleeping quarters are often the most uncomfortable and stifling in the house.

It is easy to give them a little relief at least. If housekeepers will postpone all work not absolutely necessary, and others will reduce their food requirements to the simplest and most easily prepared, the "girl" will be made less miserable and others will not suffer from their self-sacrifice.

Greater suffering levels all ranks. Those who are fortunate in the possession of this world's goods should recognize and acknowledge their human obligation to those who are not so happily conditioned.

The State Factory Inspector is astonished at the vile language which children employed in factories have learned. If employers would make an effort to check demoralizing tendencies in factory associations they would be doing good work. Wherever it is possible all persons careless of their example and their morals should be kept out of places where they can influence children.

Shipped chickens are dying in the coop at the rate of from three to 30. With the great demand for meat, this is a serious loss to both shipper and consumer. Packing chickens as if they were apples or potatoes should be prevented, at least in the summer months.

In Missouri manufactures the number of male employees has in a year decreased 3564, while the number of female employees has increased 295. As all female employees are paid much less than males, these figures are readily accounted for.

If swelterers were not making up for lost sleep in the early morning hours they could get a delightfully cool ride on an early car. It is all hot air on the street railways after the sun has been up for a short time.

Coolies are welcomed to the icecream and blackberry festival of the Fourth Presbyterian Church of Louisville. The church people everywhere are doing good work for humanity this summer.

Plenty of light but nourishing food is important during extreme heat. An empty stomach is a source of danger. It is the ill-fed who are most easily overcome in very hot weather.

Many Illinoisans had hopes of Gov. Yates, but political exigencies always come to a governor. Putting the politicians before the statesmen is common in all states.

A Board of Charities with \$5,000,000 to expend may be as ornamental as a staff of colonels. At least that is the impression over in Illinois.

With water selling at a dollar a barrel in some parts of Missouri, the man with a producing well need not look for oil.

Happily, 1901 cannot indicate the temperature of the remainder of the new century.

Put the Charter Amendments to a vote of the people.

POST-DISPATCH SNAP SHOT.

People are beginning to boast of being distantly related to the leman.

A cake of ice is more delicious than the finest cake the jesterines have ever produced.

A wet sponge under the horse's hat will not spoil his appearance and may save his life.

Pipe stories of cold air transmitted underground to city homes now receive eager attention.

Sheets that have been folded and kept in the icebox are conductive to comfortable sleep these nights.

The half-hose summer woman and the coatless man are both progressive and are so at the right time.

It is to be hoped that that cat of Artist Martin's in Wednesday's Post-Dispatch will never come back.

Had the devil been made chief of the Weather Bureau, he could scarcely have given us a more thorough roasting.

It would have been a great thing for Mr. McKinley if he had postponed the present summer until the next administration.

There are people who have begun to think that the solar system would have been greatly improved by the omission of Jupiter and Saturn.

If Astronomer Serviss cannot perform a better service than to frighten us with bogey tales of four more years of drought, he would better remain silent.

In the interest of humanity, the eating-house proprietor should suspend the rules in the case of the suspender man.

The present summer was probably not arranged for the purpose of giving the militia an experience in tropical soldiering, in order that we may retain the Philippines, but it is serving the purpose very well.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

F. L.—There is no premium on a dime of 1899.

H. J. E.—There is no premium on a half dollar of 1896.

T. G. E. JR.—Inquiry fails to discover the firm you mention.

A. SUBSCRIBER.—There are no Boer representatives in this city.

CONSTANT READER.—There is no Fairmount Park in St. Louis County.

C. E. E.—There is no premium on Columbian half dollars of 1892 and 1893.

J. H. C.—Capt. Sigee was on board the Maine when the explosion occurred.

YOUNG MAN.—If under age you must have consent of parents before entering in the race.

P. ADDRESS.—Post Address complaint to John H. Holmes, secretary Human Relations Commission.

A. PIEGEL.—Street car lines 16 and 19 were printed July 3 and 4. You can get copies at this office.

A. TIGER.—Treatment of elastic stockings affords some relief in the case of varicose veins. Consult a good physician. Baths in cold water and don't stand too much.

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**CURRENT
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COMMENT.**

All fandom is agog over the coming of the Pittsburghs Friday. The light attendance at the games this week has been attributed to the fact that the players are giving valuable afternoons off in order to be present at the contests of Friday and Saturday.

The management is expecting the banner crowd of the year on Sunday and expects a large attendance on Saturday.

The contests will be the most important of the season, and while they will hardly result in any alteration of the leadership until the final week of the First Division, Thursday, they will give the local club an opportunity of showing the real temper of the game which may bring the Pirates to within easy reach.

St. Louis will have to win from Chicago Tuesday in order to hold second position and to make a material gain on the Pirates afterwards.

Nick Young appears that two unimpressive offerings during the battles and it is supposed that Nash and Cunningham will move to the parties in question. It is a wise move, however, for the article Nick, and will insure fairness to both sides.

St. Louis plays a return series at Pittsburgh Aug. 5 and 7, and two unimpressive values will be used.

Harrer and Howell will both be used against the Pirates if they are in good shape. Both should give excellent accounts of themselves and should prove more than equals for the men of the Pittsburgh staff.

It is a certainty that Pittsburgh will use no novices against St. Louis. Their line-up is now set, and they will be anxious to present a strong front to the Cardinals for each game.

McHugh, S. Southworth should make an acceptable third man for the Cardinals, as both appear to be in excellent form.

St. Louis has the advantage over the pitchers in the team, and leads the Pirates many points and it is to this that they will have to look for victory.

They can afford to do this, as the Pirates' curve dispensers for as many bats as the Pittsburghs get from them, they are very nearly sure to do more with them, as the score is high up in the League on the bases.

The Pirates have a habit of winning on a low number of runs, indicating batting weakness and a tendency to rely on the efforts of the pitching staff. This year, however, that has not been the case, and the Pittsburghs for 11 runs, and hammered Cincinnati for 11 runs, in every inning of the game except the ninth, which they did not have to play.

Brown, Jr., it appears, has come to the rescue of St. Louis this time to save the dinas' management some hundreds of dollars in salary. Jones went to Denver on a contract that he had to break. He is compelled to buy his four times a month, a reserve clause is waived, for all of which he draws a large salary. Since his acquisition, he has won 11 games and lost 11. He allowed 11 bases on balls in that contest and was frayed.

It now develops that Jones has a bad arm and is practically useless. For some time he has been under treatment, but no favorable progress is reported. Jones' release Murphy had been released while he was rounding out, instead of Jones. Somebody cut him loose, and he is back to the woods and kicked himself in that case.

Umpire Nash is the most unfortunate umpire who has officiated in St. Louis with the exception of O'Day. Nash has been hit by pitched balls four times during his visits.

Almost on his first appearance he was hit by two hard ones which, for a time, the entire world thought were of the frame, and which did result in his absence from the grounds the following day. Thursday he was again hit, once in the shoulder and once in the head.

The crowd displayed rather poor taste by laughing at his mishaps and even jeering.

It seems bad enough to be hit at all by a hard pitched ball, much less having it rained in after the manner of the St. Louis fans.

Numerous complaints are heard in the grandstand these days, and it is natural that the bulletin board does not furnish sufficiently prompt nor complete information as to the batters and other points of information of interest to the audience.

At times when the batting order is changed, no notice or announcement is given to the audience of the change.

When a pitcher or batter is substituted for another, there is nothing to announce the alteration.

We would seem that teams should be compelled to announce their batters at the start of the half hour broadcast before the game, and that all changes of batting order and substitution of players should be announced to the stands by the umpire.

St. Louis will have an easy time at the outset of its next series, which begins with three games at Chicago, and after Pittsburgh series it has five scheduled with Boston, and it is to be hoped that it has games with Chicago and Pittsburgh.

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A meeting of the tall-senders of the League will be held in Philadelphia Friday July 26, for the purpose of finding a uniform team to be the worst. A few weeks ago opinion would have had no meeting of the Chicagoans and Cincinnatians, but the question, as to last place, the recent work of the Remond team, and the fact that it has games with Boston, and Pittsburgh.

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Cincinnati, broken and disorganized, and with a crowd of minor leaguers doing daily acts of treachery, appears to be the present popular favorite to be the worst.

How are the mighty fallen! It has only been a short time since the Reds were the whole show at the top of the percentage column.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Prior to Thursday's Games.

National League.

Pittsburgh 1. Chicago 2.

Philadelphia 4. Boston 2.

New York 10. Brooklyn 8.

Boston 12. Detroit 5.

Cincinnati 4. Boston 2.

Chicago 1. Cleveland 1.

Milwaukee 2. St. Louis 1.

Wednesday's Results.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

St. Louis 1. Chicago 1.

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Thursday's Schedules.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago at New York.

Brooklyn at New York.

Cincinnati at Pittsburgh.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington at Chicago.

Pittsburgh at New York.

Boston at Milwaukee.

Baltimore at Cleveland.

Turville Wins Motor Race.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, July 25.—Clem Turville of Philadelphia defeated Harry Gibson of Cincinnati in a 3-mile motor-paced race on the Salt Flats yesterday night. Gibson lost his pace in attempting to pass Turville in the last mile. The time was 36:16.

Ladies' Vests.

Low neck and sleeveless Richelieu Ribbed Cotton Vests—taped neck and arms—worth 12½c—Friday, each, while they last..... 5c

Drapery.

3000 yards 26-inch Fancy Art Ticking, real French Cretonnes and Fancy Dimities, in handsome designs and colorings—worth from 10c to 25c—Friday, each, while they last..... 7½c

Lambrequins.

Large Mantel or Piano Lambrequins, made of finest silk linings, in exact copies of real China silks, finished with highly colored fringe—worth 50c—while they last, on third floor, each..... 19c

Lace Curtains.

Ruffled Swiss, Scotch and Brussels Net Lace Curtains—large sizes—few left, and perfect—many pairs to match—worth up to \$2.50 per pair, while they last, on third floor, each..... 35c

Parasols.

Small lot of Ladies' Plain and Trimmed Taffeta Silk Parasols, in plain and fancy colors—worth up to \$4.50—choice, while they last, on main floor, each..... \$1.19

Ladies' Wrappers.

Ladies' Ready-Made House Wrappers, made of fine quality, fast-color lawn, ruffled skirt, shoulder cape with broad trimmings, worth \$1.00—while they last, in basement, each..... 49c

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New Laces.



The "very latest" ideas, fresh from a trip across the Atlantic, but marked astonishingly low. Ask to see any of the following—they're ESPECIALLY good values:

Juby Trimming in all colors, worth up to 15c—Friday in per yard..... 1c

Torchon Lace Edges and Insertions, worth 12½c—Friday in per yard..... 2c

Torchon Lace Edges and Insertions, well worth 7½c—Friday, in per yard..... 4c

Embroidery Edges, up to 6 inches wide, in lengths from 1½ to 5 yards and worth 12½c—Friday, in per yard..... 10c

Torchon, Valenciennes and Point de Paris Lace Edges and Insertions, from 1½ to 5 yards wide, up to 15c—Friday, in Main Floor, per yard..... 5c

Fancy Laces, consisting of cream and white Lace Bands, black Chantilly Bands, Cluny Lace Bands and Edges—All American lace—regularly at 15c—Friday, in per yard..... 10c

Embroidery Flouncing, up to 12 inches wide, in lengths from 1½ to 5 yards and worth 12½c—Friday, in per yard..... 15c

Laces, Mill, Torchon and Point de Paris Laces, worth up to 12½c—Friday, in per dozen yards..... 35c

More Sensational Mid-Summer Reductions in Our Basement.

Lawnes—Mill ends good fancy printed Lawns and Dimities, worth up to 7½c—per yard..... 3c

Percales—Mill ends 1 yard wide light colored Shirting and Dress Percales, worth 10c—per yard..... 5c

Black Lawn—Remnants of extra fine lawn, with 1½ inch border, solid black Dress Lawn, worth up to 12½c—per yard..... 5c

Organdies—Remnants of odds and ends fancy printed Sheer Organdies, worth up to 15c—per yd..... 7½c

Dimities—Remnants of fine sheer fabric, figure patterned, worth 12½c—per yard..... 10c

Muslin—2 bales remnants good quality 1-yard wide Sea Island Cotton, worth 7½c—per yard..... 4c

Sheetings—Remnants of very best heavy, unbleached Sheetings, 2½ yards per yard..... 12½c

Spreads—One case of very large size white, fringed Bed Spreads, in various patterns, worth 15c—per yard..... 60c

Table Linens—Same pieces of fine Table Linens, about 1½ yards long and 36 inches wide, each..... 12c

The same, 72 inches wide, 2½ yards wide, worth 25c—each..... 15c

This goods would cost you on the market much as 35c per yard.

Huck Toweling—Remnants of all-linen Huck Toweling, in lengths of about a yard and over, worth up to 20c—each..... 5c

Turkish Bath Toweling—Remnants of Turkish Bath Toweling, in lengths of about a yard and over, worth up to 15c—each..... 5c

Irish Linen—Remnants of finest quality Bleached Irish Linen, in lengths from 1 yard and up..... 25c

Table Damask—Remnants of best quality fast colored red and green Table Damask, in lengths up to 3 yds, worth up to 40c per yd..... 19c

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White Goods—Remnants of checked and striped Linen, Colors such as white, nainsooks, worth up to 100c—per yard..... 2c

White Lawn—Remnants of fancy striped White Lawn, worth up to 12½c—per yard..... 5c

Roller Toweling—Two cases of roller toweling, worth up to 8½c—per yard..... 3c

Lap Robes—Up to 10 o'clock we will offer choice of our entire stock of plain and embroidered carriage Lap Robes, worth up to 17½c—each..... 4½c

Misses' and Children's tan and black Lace and Button Hand-Turn Kid and Patent Tip Oxfords—all sizes also a lot of small sizes in tan and black—up to 12½c—Friday, each..... 9c

Infants' black, tan and red hand-tan Lace and Button Shoe—regular 7½c—choice..... 49c

Ladies' Boudoir Slippers, in red, black and brown; sizes 3 to 7—worth 75c—Friday..... 41c

Waddell's Unreadiness Proved Costly—He Kept the Hits Well Scattered.

Mr. Tom Loftus' crazy quilt collection of ballplayers gave the St. Louis team a rare fight Wednesday. With the score 2 to 1 in favor of the Cards, Waddell, on the mound, and the Windy City Club lined out one to right center that looked good for home runs.

Louis needed the game badly. The bulletin board showed that the Phillies had won from the Bostons and the loss of the Cards meant the relinquishment of the second place.

It was therefore with anxiety of anxiety that the Cards sent Rayner to the mound. Kruger getting home with the first run, Hartnett with the second, and the Cards with the third was retired by Wallace at first.

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McCormick, by the way, was the best in the game. In the last inning, when the game was in a nervous condition, he bat looked big as a barn door to Murphy, and the Cards were not the only ones up in the air and throwing wild.

The game was an improvement of both teams. The Cards played with vim and dash, which maintained. Thursday promises to give the Cards a better game.

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A ROACH POWDER that is sure death to roaches and water bugs—regular price, per box, 50¢—	28¢
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Aspirin Hair Vigor.....	62¢
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Seelye's Standard Hard Rubber Trusses—	\$2.90
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New York Elastic Truss, regular price \$2.00	75¢
OUR OWN guaranteed Truss.....	70¢
Hyde's Elastic Truss.....	65¢
Kukerbocker Shoulder Braces—regular price \$1.50, at.....	70¢
O. P. C. Suspensory.....	70¢
Army and Navy Suspensory.....	50¢
Imperial Suspensory.....	25¢

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MANY POINTS NOT YET CLEAR

Conflicting Statements of the Fosburgs on Witness Stand.

DISCREPANCIES STAND OUT

FLAT DENIALS OF TESTIMONY GIVEN TO THE GRANDJURY.

The Father Swears He Heard No Shots, but Beatrice Saw the Burglar and Her Sister Fall After a Pistol Flash.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., July 25.—With the government case over, with the exception of rebuttal testimony, which it is understood will be considerable, and with the defense case well started, in fact, more than half of it given to the jury, the sixth day in the trial of Robert Fosburg on the charge of manslaughter in causing the death of his sister, May, was begun today with great interest in the case more evident than ever.

The chief witnesses yesterday were the father of the defendant, Robert L. Fosburg, and his sister, Beatrice.

It cannot be said that the testimony given by the two main witnesses for the defense was entirely satisfactory. The cross-examination of the witnesses suggested some discrepancies between the testimony offered, and that given on previous occasions to the grandjury.

Fiat denials to some questions read from the statement of the reporter of the inquest were made by Mr. Fosburg. To other questions he replied in a manner indicating that he had failed to remember the answers he had given at an inquest. He effectively repudiated the statements made by several witnesses that he had said one of the burglars who came into his room was a revolver in his left hand and a lantern in his right hand. He also said that he did not hear any shots. The features of Mr. Fosburg's testimony were that he distinctly saw two burglars in his room with pillow cases over their heads and a silt torn in the middle through, and that the light that he saw them by was a storm lamp of some kind behind them in the hall and was held there by some third person.

Beatrice also swore that she saw the burglar and that they wore masks through which she could not see him.

The first witness today was Miss Estelle Chaplin, a sister of Mrs. Shepardson, who was the mother of the Fosburgs. She said she was awakened in the night of the tragedy by the incessant ringing of the doorbell and soon heard men's voices crying: "Murder! Police!

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"Numness of the hands and arms, with premonitions of paralysis, kept by me while I was using coffee. I finally discovered it was caused by coffee; when I quit the coffee and began drinking Postum Food Coffee the numness ceased entirely and I have been very well ever since. At that time I was unable to sleep, but now I sleep perfectly."

Husband was also troubled from lack of sleep while he was drinking coffee, but now he uses Postum Food Coffee with me, and we both sleep perfectly. Our little boy had peculiar nervous spells and I stopped the use of coffee with him and have been giving him all the Postum Food Coffee he cared for. He is perfectly well now."

"My sister was troubled with nervous headaches while I was using coffee. She and how greatly improved we were in discontinuing it and using Postum Food Coffee, so she made the change, now rid of her nervous headaches, a really strong advocate of mine."—Mrs. J. Walford, Castalia, Ohio.

Help!" Her sister came into the room and together they knelt at a window and listened. The heard a woman say: "She is coming." Then the widow, her sister and her sister's husband went to the Fosburg residence, where they were told what had happened.

On cross-examination, witness said she had never spoken to any of the Fosburg family about the tragedy since the night it occurred.

Judge Zimmerman Grants Petition

ANOTHER JUDGE YIELDS TO THE INEVITABLE AND BOWS

TO THE COATLESS MAN

Framed by Attorneys and Bailiffs.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss.
Albert Burges, City Attorney;
M. F. Helt, Chief Deputy Marshal;
A. Von Brunn, Deputy Marshal,
and Henry E. Hass, Clerk, Plaintiff,
vs.
Hon. T. F. W. Zimmerman, Justice, Defendant.

Before the Hon. T. F. W. Zimmerman, Justice of the Police Court, South Arsenal Street, City of St. Louis, Mo.

Now come the plaintiffs in the above entitled cause, their official capacities as the hereinbefore named officers of the court, and for their cause of action, state that the weather is extremely and exceedingly warm, and plaintiffs further state that by reason of said heat their duties in said court have become somewhat arduous, in view of the fact that they are compelled to perform said duties with their coats on and are not permitted to appear in court in waistcoats.

Plaintiffs further state that numerous other courts of this city, both circuit and Justice, have such an order in force.

Now, therefore, in consideration of the premises, the plaintiffs pray this honorable court to grant and allow the removal of coats and vests during the continuance of the heated term, and allow them to appear in court in the shirt waist coat, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem meet and proper. By SLOAN PITZER, Attorney for Plaintiffs.

An Insurrection against Judge T. F. W. Zimmerman by all the other officials of the Wyoming Street Police Court Culminated Thursday when a remarkable petition was filed by Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Burges, Clerk Haas and the deputy marshals, M. F. Helt and A. Von Brunn, are the leaders of the movement to purchase the stock and stores at a total cost of \$300,000, making it to which \$300,000 would be put up for a working capital. It is estimated that \$200,000 would be the annual average receipts of the stock and stores upon which a sum of 10 per cent would bring in a yearly return of \$7,500,000.

The Thursday Sloan Pitzer, the attorney employed by the insurgents to secure legal representation, has written a letter to the court printed herewith upon Judge Zimmerman in his own courtroom:

RETAIL GROCERY TRUST.

Plan on Foot to Consolidate 3000 Stores in Philadelphia.

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BAKER—Sit wanted by a good, young, sober baker; sit wanted; city or country. Ad. Baker, 2127 Cass st.

BARKER—Wants position as barkeeper; sober and good mixer. 919 N. 22d st. Hall.

BARTENDER—Young married man wants steady place; sober and reliable. Ad. P 180, Post-Disp.

BOY—Sit wanted by boy, 17 years old, as porter or for housework; colored. 4344 St. Louis.

CASHIER—Wanted for any place of any kind. Ad. 2512 Madison st.

CLERK—An experienced hotel clerk desires position at once; no objections to leaving city; best of references. Ad. Stanley, 4113 Washington av.

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IRON FINISHERS—Good architectural wrought iron finishers. 421 S. 6th st.

GARDENER—Sit wanted as gardener by reliable single German; sober; industrious; understands all work in place; good references. Ad. P 160, Post-Disp.

MACHINIST—Position available by machinist; 16 years' experience in light manufacturing; best position as assistant engineer in large factory; no objection to moving with job; good references. Ad. 4200 LaSalle st., St. Louis.

LABORERS AND TEAM WANTED—Laborers and teams; team \$3.50 day laborers \$2.50. St. Louis.

LABORERS WANTED—Good, steady, sober, reliable laborers with good pay and fire brick works of Evans & Howard, Howard's Station, city, to which steady employment and good wages will be given.

LABORERS WANTED—Laborers, on street work; Easton av., west of Goods av. Frun-Brown Co. Coast Co.

LAW—A young man, 23, familiar with office work, desired for any place; good experience in law and mercantile business. Ad. P 157, P. D.

MAN—Sit wanted by reliable, sober man, around private place; attend to horses, cows, city refuse.

MAN—Reliable married man; wishes steady employment as driver or in wholesale house; best of references. Address 2806 Main st.

MAN—Colored man, neat appearance, wants chance to learn to wait in hotel. Ad. P 117, Post-Disp.

MAN—A. W.—Postman wanted by man and wife; color; good health; experience in law and man and cook; best of refs. Please add P 120, Post-Disp.

MAN—Sit wanted by sober young man to attend house, good home; call within 8 days. S. 16th st.

MAN AND WIFE—Colored man and wife want sit with private family; must room on place; housework; no cooking. Wm. Block, Collinsville, Ill.

MAN—Sit wanted by man with some experience; would like to learn more about cutting meat; accept position as butcher. Call or 416 M. 1615 Walnut st.

MAN—Sit wanted by Christian colored man; part, janitor or cleaning of any kind. Call 2252 Main st.

MAN—Sit wanted by young man, employment the 1st 6 days in week; refs. Ad. 2624 Morgan st.

MAN—Young man wants position as stenographer; collector, salesman and to make himself useful in every way. Ad. P 155, Post-Disp.

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MAN—Sit wanted by a man understanding the making of barrels; good pay; good family; for Jerry of Paris. Ad. 518 Washington st.

MAN—Bright, active silvroid man of good appearance, aged 35; wants position; prefer outside work; willing to travel. Ad. 155, Post-Disp.

MANAGER—Wanted, position as manager of oil or drilling company. Ad. 155, Post-Disp.

MEAT CUTTER—Wanted, position as meat cutter or grocery clerk; 7 years' experience; best of references. Ad. H. H. Mansoor, general dryery, city.

PAPER HANGER—First-class paper hanger; will work cheap; good work; send postal. 2626 Robin.

PORTER OR HOUSEMAN—Work as porter or houseman; good references; steady. Ad. P 60, Post-Disp.

STENOGRAHPIST—Male stenographer; desires copying or amanuensis work evenings; high class work. Address P 70, Post-Disp.

WATCHMAN—Wanted, position as night watchman; hotels or business houses; years of experience and refs. Ad. P 185, Post-Disp.

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MERCANTILE COLLEGE, Lincoln Trust bldg., 7th and Market sts., individualized instruction given in bookkeeping, merchandising, short courses, typewriting, etc. Demand for graduates greater than supply; day school open all year.

HELP WANTED—MALE

BAKER—Sob and reliable bread baker; man preferred; wages \$14 per week. Address Martin's Steam Bakery, Duquesne, Ill.

BAKER—Wanted—a baker. Call at 1908 N. Grand av.

BAKER—Wanted—second hand baker. Call at 415 Washington av.

BAKER—Wanted—Steady work, or to help on Saturday and Sunday. 3104 Morgan rd.

BAKER—Wanted—a good barber for Saturday and Sunday. 819 N. 6th st.

BAKER—Wanted—a first-class barber; no student; good references apply; Sunday work. 8207 Franklin st.

BAKER—Wanted—Saturday and Sunday; wages \$6 week. 719 Manchester ave.

BAKER—WANTED—First-class union barber; good job. 4117 Franklin av.

BAKER—WANTED—A barber, for Saturday and Sunday. 819 N. 6th st.

OPERATOR—WANTED—An operator on lasting machines and men to pull over. Goodfellow Shoe Co. 15th and Poplar.

PAINTER—WANTED—A first-class house painter; must work cheap. 1609 Hickory.

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PAPER HANGER—WANTED—First-class paper hanger. Grand Av. Hotel.

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PATTERSON—WANTED—A pattern maker at Patterson's Tailor Shop. 15th and Locust.

PRESSMAN—WANTED—A job pressman; must be good stick cutter and know all about job presses. 803 N. 3d st.

PORTER—WANTED—A colored porter for dancing and playing cards. 15th and Locust.

PORTER—WANTED—A good colored porter; good salary; apply at once. Drug store. 8th and Franklin.

PRINTERS—WANTED—Three first-class newspaper job printers; permanent places; wages \$16.50 per week; will pay more for superior men; also one printer at \$20 per week. Ad. P 122, Post-Disp.

PRIVATE—Diseases a specialty at Franklin Ave Free Dispensary. 1216 Franklin av.

QUACKMERS—WANTED—Quackmores at Clayton Free Dispensary. 1216 Franklin av.

ROCK BREAKERS—WANTED—Rock breakers, between Vandeventer and Sarah; \$1.25 per square foot. Address 1117 Franklin av.

BOY—WANTED—A good boy to learn baking trade. 10th and Madison st.

BOY—WANTED—Good, strong boy to drive delivery wagon and work around grocery; \$10 month and board and room. Ad. P 150, Post-Disp.

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BOY—WANTED—Boy to learn horseshoeing; with some experience preferred. Ad. P 157, P. D.

BOY—WANTED—Strong boy. 214 N. 8d st. Little & Becker Printing Co.

BOY—WANTED—Youth house and dining room work; about 18 years old; reference. 3140 Lindell.

BOY—WANTED—Boy for making cones. Crescent 10th and Locust and St. Charles.

BOY—WANTED—Two boys, 14 to 16 years old. 115 Morgan st. Apply 115 Morgan st.

BOYS—WANTED—Two boys; one with some experience as job press feed. Call at room 9, 2nd fl., 2100 to 2104.

BOY—WANTED—Good boy to take care of horses and deliver. 1114 Vandeventer av.

BOY—WANTED—A 16 or 18-year-old colored boy for housework. 1468 S. Grand av.

BOY—WANTED—A large sized elevator boy. Apply to engineer E. W. Washington av. wage \$5.

BOY—WANTED—A colored boy to run errands and work in factory. Apply Considine Mfg. Co., 2210 and 2212 Pine #6, St. Louis.

BOY—WANTED—Two men waiters. French Restaurant, 6th and Morgan.

BOY—WANTED—An experienced boy to feed healer, doctor, etc. Apply 15th and Poplar.

BOY—WANTED—A reliable boy; good references. 1406 N. 7th st.

WOOD TURNER—To turn at Grand av. and Everett Park bl.; \$1.50 per day. Rainbird-Bates Construction Co.

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